



COLGATE-PALMOLIVE Company
MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

This industrial Material Safety Data Sheet is not intended for consumers and does not address consumer use of the product. For information regarding consumer applications of this product, refer to the product label.

Ajax Heavy Duty Liquid Laundry Detergent
Fresh Classic, Bleach Alternative

Effective Date: January 19, 2005

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY
300 Park Avenue
New York NY 10022

PRODUCT NAME: Ajax Heavy Duty Liquid Laundry
Detergent – Fresh Classic, Bleach Alternative
CAS NUMBER: Not applicable – product is a mixture
GENERAL USE: Formulated liquid laundry detergent.

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER: For emergency
involving spill, leak, fire, exposure or accident, call
CHEMTREC (800) 424-9300, day or night

For MEDICAL EMERGENCIES involving this product call:
(888) 489-3861.

2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

OSHA-REGULATED COMPONENTS (present at a
concentration of > or = 1%):

Component	CAS#	%	PEL	TLV
Not Applicable				

The following components, present at a concentration of >
or = 0.1%, are listed as carcinogens or potential carcinogens
by either the National Toxicology Program (NTP), the
International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) or
OSHA:

Component	CAS#	%	PEL	TLV
Not Applicable				

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

EYE CONTACT: Causes eye irritation on direct contact.

SKIN CONTACT: May cause skin irritation on prolonged or repeated contact.

INGESTION: May be harmful if swallowed in large quantities.

INHALATION: No adverse effects expected.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYE CONTACT: Flush eyes with large amounts of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

SKIN CONTACT: Rinse area with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

INGESTION: Drink 1-2 glasses of water. Get medical attention.

INHALATION: Not Applicable.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point (Method): >200F

Extinguishing Media: Water spray, all-purpose dry chemical, CO2.

SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES: Self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing should be worn when fighting chemical fires.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Cover with inert, absorbent material and remove to disposal container. Spill area may be slippery. Flush with plenty of water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in a tightly closed container in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

GENERAL CONTROLS: Avoid eye and skin contact.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: The use of safety goggles and protective gloves is recommended.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance and odor: Blue liquid
pH (as is): 11.2 – 12.2

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

GENERAL: This product is stable. Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS: Avoid contact with strong acids, alkalis and oxidizing agents.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION: May produce irritating and/or toxic fumes upon thermal decomposition.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product has not been tested as a whole. However, this formula was reviewed by expert toxicologists in the Product Safety Assurance Department of Colgate-Palmolive and is determined to be safe for its intended use. This review has taken into consideration available safety-related information including information on individual ingredients, similar ingredients, similar formulas and potential ingredient interactions. This review is a component of the hazard determination used to prepare the statements in Section 3 of the MSDS.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Any disposal practice must be in compliance with local, state, and federal laws and regulations (contact local or state environmental agency for specific rules). Do not dump into sewers, any body of water or onto the ground.

14. TRANSPORTATION

Not regulated as a DOT hazardous material.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

<p>RCRA (40 CFR 261, Subpart D): Not Applicable</p> <p>CLEAN WATER ACT: Contains sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate which is a Section 311 material.</p> <p>CLEAN AIR ACT: Contains methanol which is a Section 111 material and a Section 112 material.</p> <p>SARA: Sections 301-304 (Threshold planning quantity - TPQ) 40 CFR 355: No TPQ for any component. Not Applicable</p> <p>Section 313 (Toxic chemical release reporting) 40 CFR 372: The following chemicals must be reported under SARA 313: Not Applicable</p> <p>CERCLA: Section 102 (Reportable Quantity - RQ) 40 CFR 302: The Reportable Quantity (RQ) for this product to the environment is 66,667 lbs. based on the presence of sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate (1.5%). Releases greater than or equal to 66,667 lbs. must be reported to the National Response Center (NRC) immediately: 800-424-8802.</p>	<p>New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substance List: This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: Sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate, methanol</p> <p>Pennsylvania Hazardous Substance List: This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: Sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate, methanol, sodium sulfate</p> <p>Massachusetts Substance List: This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: Sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate, methanol, sodium sulfate</p> <p>Canada: Workplace Hazardous materials Information System (WHMIS)-listed material. This product contains the following components subject to reporting requirements: Sodium dodecylbenzene sulfonate</p> <p>TSCA Section 8(b) Inventory Status: All ingredients in this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory or are not required to be listed on the TSCA Inventory.</p>
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16. OTHER INFORMATION

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MSDS Status: Revised sections 1, 3, 4, 8, 9, 15

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